



05 - 24 - 04

IFW AF
373)

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Docket No.
ATA-333

Application No.
10/045544-Conf. #2463

Filing Date
October 26, 2001

Examiner
J. W. Woo

Art Unit
3731

Applicant(s): Steve A. HERWECK et al.

Invention: BODY FLUID CARTRIDGE EXCHANGE PLATFORM DEVICE

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid	Number Extra Claims Present	Rate	
Total Claims	42	- 57 =		x	0.00
Independent Claims	3	- 4 =		x	0.00
Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/>					
Other fee (please specify):					
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT:					0.00

Large Entity

Small Entity

No additional fee is required for this amendment.

Please charge Deposit Account No. _____ in the amount of \$ _____.
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

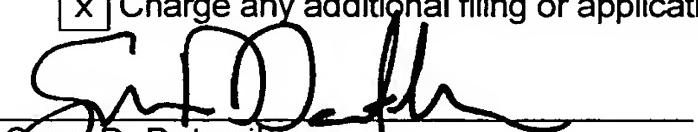
A check in the amount of \$ _____ to cover the filing fee is enclosed.

Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. 12-0080
as described below. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Credit any overpayment.

Charge any additional filing or application processing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17.

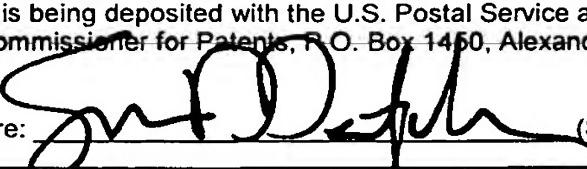

Sean D. Detweiler
Attorney Reg. No.: 42,482

Dated: May 21, 2004

LAHIVE & COCKFIELD, LLP
28 State Street
Boston, Massachusetts 02109
(617) 227-7400

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service as Express Mail, Airbill No. EV 378820103 US,
in an envelope addressed to: MS AF, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on the date shown
below.

Dated: May 21, 2004

Signature: 

(Sean D. Detweiler)

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service as Express Mail, Airbill No. EV 478820103 US, in an envelope addressed to: MS AF, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on the date shown below.

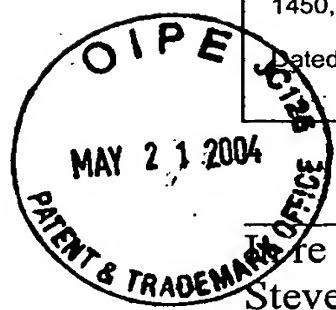
Dated: May 21, 2004

Signature:



(Sean D. Detweiler)

Docket No.: ATA-333
(PATENT)



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re Patent Application of:
Steve A. Herweck *et al.*

Application No.: 10/045544

Art Unit: 3731

Filed: October 26, 2001

Examiner: J. W. Woo

For: BODY FLUID CARTRIDGE EXCHANGE
PLATFORM DEVICE

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION (37 C.F.R. SECTION 1.116)

MS AF
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the final office action mailed March 22, 2004, entry of the below amendments, consideration of the remarks provided, and reconsideration of the application are respectfully requested.